

# The Sea Coast Echo

BAY ST. LOUIS, MISSISSIPPI, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1959

## Board Rejects Equipment Bids, Light Installation

Supervisors to session Monday morning tied up in preparation for the board's installation at the meeting Jan. 4 at 9 a.m. The board recently advertised for bids and rejected the bid of Supervisor R. Hubbard Jr., and will be re-advertised.

Attorney Sam Favre explained that specifications for the installation were too light and there was some question as to whether equipment specified would do the job, Hubbard replied while he said it was wrong to base specifications around a specific piece of equipment, the board before advertised for bids. Favre said the board needed a particular piece of tractor they could use for it, but must write and several dealers may

bids and re-advertise. The motion was seconded by Charles Russ.

Companies submitting the rejected bids included Stribling Bros., Machinery Co. of Gulfport and Jackson, B and L Tractor Co. of Piquette, Gelpi Tractor Co., Picayune, and Sanders Tractor Co., Gulfport.

Acting on the advice of several tractor companies which said the tractor advertised for was too light to do the job required, the board decided to re-draft specifications.

Hubbard brought up the question of a proposed traffic light at the intersection of Nicholson

Ave. and the Old Spanish Trail which the Chamber of Commerce has requested the board to consider to alleviate accidents at the intersection.

Hubbard explained that the board had never installed traffic lights and to do so would set a precedent. The general feeling appeared to be that the board could not set a precedent this late in the administration which would obligate the incoming board to the possibility of increased expenditures in installing lights at many other points.

On a motion by Hubbard the board decided to inform the

## Old Boo Boo Found Try to Clear Sec. 25 Land

Repercussions from a surveyor's oversight about 100 years ago are just now being felt by approximately 65 Hancock County landowners who recently learned their land had never been patented from the federal government and is not officially their own.

Located just southwest of Bay St. Louis on U. S. 90, Section 25 was never released from federal government ownership as were the surrounding sections.

The landowners have already lost their mineral rights and the possibility the land might be sold out from under them by the government is now being corrected, according to Lucien Raymond, land abstractor and surveyor. Raymond has been retained by several landowners to complete all necessary documents, plats and abstracts for the patent application.

He learned the mineral rights had been leased last June 1 to a Denver, Colo., mineral and oil lease broker when making a token application for the patent.

Raymond says the patent can be obtained as soon as the local landowners sign the application. Until then, he explained, they don't have a clear title to their land and it cannot be used as collateral in financing loans.

Section 25 encompasses land from the Washington Street-U. S. 90 intersection along both sides of the highway to near Main Street. It extends west approximately 3/4 of a mile towards the Jordan River and includes Blue Meadow subdivision and many prominent U. S. 90 businesses.

Raymond began work on the application preliminaries Dec. 1 and is now signing up landowners for the application.

He said the federal government is willing to patent the three lots in Section 25 to a trustee to be named by the owners, who will in turn issue a deed to the landowners for their individual



**EVEN SCHOOL BOOKS** - Little Frankie Miller gazed into the ashes of his home which was completely destroyed by fire Monday night. Frankie, 6, is the oldest of four children of Mr. and Mrs. Verdis N. Miller of Bayou La Croix Road.

## March of Dimes Opens Saturday

The March of Dimes campaign in Hancock County will begin Saturday, Mrs. Theo Turry, Hancock County chairman and campaign director, has announced.

The 1960 campaign seeks to raise funds for a fight against birth defects, arthritis and polio, three major crippling diseases in every four families. The drive will continue through January reaching its climax Jan. 28 with the traditional Mother's March.

The campaign will be launched with the mailing of 5,000

## Blaze Destroys Millers' Home

A Hancock County family of six is homeless today after fire of undetermined origin destroyed their home and furnishings about 11 p.m. Monday on Bayou La Croix Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Verdis N. Miller with their four children arrived at home from a trip to New Orleans Monday night to find the five-room frame dwelling enveloped in smoke. Miller jumped from the car and broke down the front door. A gust of flame hit him in the face. Re-entering, he managed to drag a partially burned cedar chest from the inferno. This was the only item of household furnishings saved.

A small storage and laundry room about 20 feet to the rear of the house escaped damage. In it were a deep freezer and a clothes dryer.

The only thing left standing was a blackened shower with plumbing pipes. An 80-foot pine tree nearby was charred to the top. Every part of the house was turned to ashes except some stumps to what was to have been a new addition to the home.

The Millers hope to rebuild on the same site. Until then, they will live with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schwall, 601 Congress St., New Orleans.

This poses a problem for six-year-old Frankie who is enrolled in the first grade at North Central School. Little Frankie seemed worried about his school books until his mother quieted his fears saying, "We'll get you new things, honey."

The Millers' other children are Stephen, 4; Roger Dale, 2; and Veda Mae, 3 months.

Miller, who works for a dairy firm in New Orleans, said the house was covered by \$3,000 and furnishings \$1,500 insurance.

A neighbor called the Bay St. Louis Fire Department asking for help, but was told that the fire

truck could not leave the city limits.

J. Cyril Glover, commissioner of public utilities said Tuesday the fire truck could not go because the department is supported by city taxes and the truck must be available for protection to those tax payers. He explained that the truck can only pump 300 gallons of water and unless it could connect with a fire plug it could do very little to stop a big fire. He added that in some cases the department has aided people out of the city but its first obligation is to the taxpayers.

## Rider Loses Leg, Foot At 90-Main

A serious traffic accident and several minor mishaps marred Hancock County's holiday weekend.

Mrs. Francis Kendrick, 37, of Kenner, La., is reported in fair condition at Gulfport Memorial Hospital after a leg and a foot were amputated following a trailer-truck and motorcycle accident at 1:20 p.m. Sunday at U. S. 90 and Main Street.

Mrs. Kendrick, passenger on a motorcycle operated by her son, Archie Ray Payne, 20, also of Kenner, was crushed under the rear wheels of a 1959 truck-trailer driven by Ray M. Smith of Monticello, according to investigating highway patrolman Fred Curet.

Curet said the westbound motorcycle crashed head-on into the trailer which was attempting to cross U. S. 90 in the east bound traffic lane from the P and D Service Station. Smith was charged with failing to yield the right of way.

Mrs. Kendrick and her son who suffered minor burns and bruises were taken to Gulfport by Fahey-Whitfield ambulance after emergency treatment in the ambulance at Hancock General Hospital.

No one was injured in two Saturday accidents in Bay St. Louis.

Donna Wiggins, 16, daughter of Mrs. Ben T. Wood of Bay St. Louis, was injured in a car accident.

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## Arrests Jessup, Due Back Today

Sylvan J. Ladner is expected to return tonight or tomorrow from Houston, Texas, with Henry Jessup, wanted in the murder of Tyburt

Ward. Ladner, accompanied by Detective Nease, was notified of Jessup's arrest Monday by Federal Bureau of Investigation agents.

A warrant was issued for Jessup by Ladner. He believed Jessup had fled after a note found in the trunk of the killing car, the crime was signed by initials, F.H.J.

A criminal complaint was filed by Ladner on Dec. 9 before Commissioner Miss Irene Blum charging Jessup with flight to avoid prosecution for the crime of murder.

He requested federal assistance in his investigation of that Jessup was wanted to have fled the state.

Jessup was unemployed at the time of the shooting and neighbors said he had been staying in the house for several months.

After the shooting, Ladner said that Jessup has an excellent criminal record.

Following his arrest, Jessup was held in the Harris County Jail pending a hearing.

Apparently he waived extradition proceedings and is being returned to Mississippi.

**Ladner Home College Work**

Ladner, Louisiana College star, is home for the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Ladner, and reports that he may have another operation on his right hand which was injured in a game with Louisiana College. Larry said he already had two operations on the hand.

He will be graduated this year and has begun looking for a job.

**Skaters**

Roller Rink will have skating from 12:30 a.m. to 1:30 a.m. New Year's Eve. The price of admission is 10 cents this week.

**TIDES**

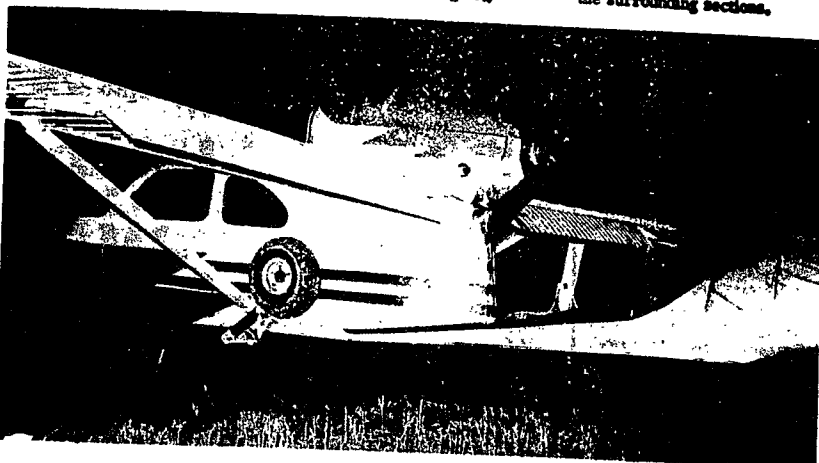
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SEA PLANE RESTS ON JACKSON RIDGE

## New Year's Closings Set

Many local merchants have announced plans to close Friday, New Year's Day, and reopen for business Saturday. Following this policy are Wilcox Electric, Brewster, A-I Radio, Kern, Pitalo, Jitney, Meyers, Engman, C and S, Winn-Dixie, Engman, O L e n, Ramsey's, Delph's Mauffray, Waveland Drug, and Fahey Drug.

Closing for a half day Friday are Dickson, A and J, de Montuzin, Beach Drug, and Lusich. Jerome's plans to be open all day Friday.

Western Auto, Buikins, Messtayer, Globe, Bankston, Sunshine and W. A. McDonald and Sons will be closed Friday and Saturday.

All federal offices will be closed Friday and there will be no mail service. City offices will be closed Friday and Saturday and county offices will close at noon Thursday for the weekend.

**Serves Out Fines**

Earl Brown, New Orleans Negro, is serving 30 days in Hancock County Jail after failing to pay fines imposed Wednesday by Justice of the Peace Nolan Ladner on charges of driving under the influence of alcohol and without a driver's license when he was arrested Dec. 27.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Stieffel of 352 DeMontuzin Ave. won the grand sweepstakes prize of the Bay-Waveland Garden Club in its annual Christmas lighting contest. Their winning entry was a mass of holiday decorations on the front of their home.

Winning second place overall honors, and first in the outdoor tree classification were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Schindler of Green Meadow Road.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Chagnard of 275 St. Joseph St., Waveland, won honors for the best rooftop decoration.

Prize for the best doorway went to Mrs. Edmond Fahey Jr. of 306 DeMontuzin while Mrs. Charles Carter of 207 Main St. took honors for the best window with a Nativity scene. Mrs. Joseph Farve of Hancock Street won the ribbon for the best porch tree and Coast Electric Power Assn. claimed first in the commercial division with its large tree.

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## Vandals Hit Sea Plane Crash Landed on Beach

Don Inman of Buras, La., who attempted a Beach Boulevard landing in his amphibious plane Monday afternoon, sent a friend in Wednesday with a spare landing wheel to replace the one damaged in the landing and learned that someone had sawed off the remaining good wheel during his absence.

The man who landed his sea-plane in the bay at Jackson Ridge, said he planned to return with another wheel today.

Alvin Favre, driver of a Bay St. Louis sanitation truck, who witnessed the landing, helped Inman tow the plane to a safe position. The pilot was forced onto the roadway shoulder to avoid an approaching auto when he tore up the wheel, part of the right side pontoon and the tail wheel.

**New Officers Go in Monday**

Newly elected Hancock County officials and supervisors will assume duties Monday after taking oaths and approval of their bond by A. C. Mitchell, present clerk of courts, and Jack Lott, present president of the board of supervisors.

Mitchell said that the oath may be taken from anyone authorized to administer an oath.

Marie Quintini and Mrs. Vera Ladner will serve as deputy chancery clerks and James A. Rhine will be auditor and bookkeeper under Claiborne Ladner, elected chancery clerk last November. Sheriff-elect Gerald Price could not be reached at press time for information on his appointment of outside deputies.

## Decor Sweepstakes Won by Stieffels



**SWEEPSTAKES WINNER** - Young Herbert Stieffel Jr. peers through the front window of his parents' home on DeMontuzin Avenue which won the grand sweepstakes prize in the Bay-Waveland Garden Club's annual Christmas lighting contest.

## Conveyance of Schools To Churches Proceeds

The president and secretary of the county board of education were directed to employ a surveyor to survey the old Kih school property so the school could retain all its deems necessary and transfer the rest to the Church of the Annunciation at a recessed meeting of the board Monday.

It was the last meeting of the year and the final one to be attended by Superintendent E. E. Breland, K. G. McCarty will begin his term Monday and will act as secretary of the board at the regular meeting Monday afternoon.

A bid of the National Cash Register Co. of Gulfport for an adding machine for North Central School was accepted. Cost of the machine, Model 9-ELS, is \$319 less 25 per cent educational discount of \$77.75, amounting to \$239.25. The board had rejected a prior set of bids

in the fall because the type sought was not offered.

Breland reported that most of the schools' tax money would not be received until February and upon motion of Trustee Charles Murphy, seconded by S. P. Powell, the board voted to borrow \$2,000 from the building fund to pay past due bills.

A bill for court costs of \$37.63 was presented by A. C. Mitchell, chancery clerk, and the board directed the secretary to pay the bill. The suit was begun during the construction of North Central and involved a labor strike.

Attorney Walter James Phillips said Bishop Richard O. Gerow had been contacted and advised that it was within the church's jurisdiction to accept the vacated school property under the restrictions set out in the deeds, that the property be used only for religious, civic and recreation purposes.

Trustee Powell moved that the Dedaux school property be transferred as is with the exception of a deep freezer. Trustee Louis Nease moved that the same type of resolution used for Leebow be drawn up for Dedaux and that a copy be mailed to the organizations requesting use of the property. The motions carried.

**Seminary Presents Annual Play Sunday**

A five act drama, I Come to Serve, was presented Sunday night at St. Augustine's Seminary to an invitation only audience.

Included in the cast of the Seminary's annual production were Fraters Abel Dicks, Robert Durkhard, Mark O'Leary, Charles Burns, Hartfield Mynett, Robert Snyder and Wilbert White.

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## Cage Play Resumes on Saturday

Competition in the basketball loop will resume Saturday after a two-week lay-off during the Christmas holidays when North Central plays a return engagement with St. Martin of North Blot on the Hawks' hardwood. The North Central lads licked St. Martin Nov. 23 66-48 and Coach James Johnson expects little trouble repeating the performance but thinks the girls will be in for a hard night. The St. Martin lasses are rated tops on the Coast and whipped the

Hawkettes in their previous tussle. Tuesday the Hawks are scheduled to entertain Harrison Central in a double header.

The Bay High Tigers pick up where they left off, traveling to Piquette Tuesday and resuming their feud with North Central Thursday in what will probably be one of the year's most exciting contests. The Tigers held the hoop-bogging Hawks to a first half tie in the Long Beach tournament but fell apart in the second

half. Coach Wilmer Seymour has been drilling his Tigers and the lads will be out to topple the highly rated Hawks.

The Rock-A-Chew from St. Stanislaus' resume their tough schedule Thursday taking on one of New Orleans' best within the Redemptorist league.

St. Joseph Academy's Gold Jays will journey to Ocean Springs Friday where they will meet the girls from Ocean Springs High.

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### Time for Reflection

We are using this editorial taken from the Weiser, Idaho, American and Signal on how to support your community newspaper which we think is well done—though granted of the tongue in cheek variety. We wonder how many Hancock Countians connected with organizations or holding political office forget the sincere point of this editorial.

1. Be proud that you never read it. When discussion of a public event takes place at a meeting, be sure to stand up and announce this is the first you have heard of it. Don't be ashamed when someone else reports stories have been in the newspaper for three weeks. Apologize by saying the local newspaper "never has it right."
2. When you attend a public meeting which a local reporter has sat through for four hours, be sure to call the daily newspaper and give a complete account. The dailies are short staffed.
3. When you attend a public meeting, which a local reporter was unable to attend, be sure NOT to call the local newspaper and give an account. Your local newspaper reporters work 60 hours a week. Someone of the staff in that length of time surely could have squeezed in your meeting.
4. When a local reporter regularly attends your organization's meetings and "writes them up," be sure to give him several committee assignments. Better yet, make him secretary or treasurer. After all, he's one of the few who attends every meeting. You can depend on him. And if he refuses to be chairman, call him a slacker.
5. Get sore when your newspaper reporter misses your meeting. Teach him a lesson by calling the competition and give them a bang-up story.
6. If you know of a big or unusual story about to break in the community, be sure to call the daily newspaper first. This will make it easier for your community newspaper. The local reporter will have several days to read it and study it before writing his own story.
7. If you send in written material to the local newspaper, make certain that you never read the published story. All you'll find in it will be typographical and other errors. There isn't a chance that some of your own spelling, grammatical and factual mistakes will be corrected. It's up to the newspaper to improve; not you.
8. If a reporter or correspondent spends two or three weeks, or even a day or half day preparing a story telling of your or your organization's activities, don't call to express thanks. Save your telephone conversation for some time when you have blown your top. That will make the more lasting impression.
9. Be sure to invite a reporter to take a photo about 9 p.m. There are only three or four groups meeting every night of the week. He's bound to have to be away from home on your night anyway. A daytime picture wouldn't be natural and would require several phone calls. By taking the picture at 9, you can count on him devoting his whole evening to you. He won't be able to do much before or after.
10. If you disagree with a newspaper story or an editorial, be sure to get on the program of one of the service organizations to deliver your answer. The writer won't dare (if he has any sense of decency) to get up at the meeting and embarrass you by answering back.
11. If your name is repeatedly misspelled in newspaper stories, don't bother to call the editor. He wouldn't change it anyway. Tell your neighbor what a lousy newspaper you have in your community.
12. Remember it is the duty of newspapers to report all community activities and happenings, good or bad. If the newspaper misses something, it couldn't have been accidental. It was purposely left out. The newspapers only pick on the rich people (if you're rich) and on the poor people (if you're poor).
13. Never follow the editorial suggestions of your community newspaper. Staffers are just a bunch of hicks in a hick town. If they had any talent, they'd be working in a big town on a big newspaper.  
Incidentally, why are you here?

### County Agent Notes

By Howard Simmons

#### HAPPY NEW YEAR

Happy New Year, everybody. Your county agent and the other extension workers hope that 1960 will be the best year ever for you.

#### WHAT TO LOOK FOR IN 1960

Here is a preview of what the experts say may happen farming-wise in 1960.

They look for continued high employment and business activity generally.

On farms, they predict more live stock, another good crop year, and a growing grain surplus.

Cotton supplies went up sharply in 1959, but use is also expected to rise an equal amount. Exports should double those of a year ago and domestic consumption is also up.

Feed grain production is still running ahead of expected use, despite increases in livestock. Rice and soybean stocks are likely to be reduced.

The experts look for an increasing number of new farmsteads in 1960, with a corresponding increase in the number of new farmsteads.

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### Letters to the Editor

Editor, Sea Coast Echo,  
Bay St. Louis, Mississippi  
In an editorial entitled Main and U. S. 90 in the Dec. 17 issue of the Sea Coast Echo, you point out the need for large size highway signs at this intersection announcing a traffic light ahead. We appreciate the fact that you have brought to the attention of the public the need for such warning signs.

The Hancock County Chamber of Commerce has also realized the need for such signals. In a letter dated Nov. 9, to Highway Commissioner John D. Smith, Mrs. Mabel Green, secretary-manager of the Chamber of Commerce, informed the commissioner that our board of directors had gone on record as favoring the installation of these caution signs at Main and U. S. 90.

On Nov. 13, Mr. Smith informed Mrs. Green that he had requested the traffic control Engineer of the State Highway Department to give this matter immediate attention.

The traffic control engineer by letter to Mrs. Green, dated Nov. 16, had this to say: "We are asking our foreman to check these signs on his next trip to Bay St. Louis and to be sure that the signs are in place."

We are hoping that your editorial will again bring this matter to the attention of the State Highway Department and that some action will be had on this matter as quickly as possible.

Yours very truly,  
FRED QUINT, Chairman,  
Safety Committee Program,  
Hancock County Chamber of Commerce.

Editor, Sea Coast Echo:

I am a member of the Clement R. Bontemps Post 139 of the American Legion. I am not the public relations officer, but rather, one of the so-so members. I was one of the active members at the tremendous Christmas Party sponsored by the American Legion on Dec. 24, 1959. I was proud of the magnificent generosity of the Legionnaires in putting on such a fine party.

The free movie by Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Scalfid was delightful and pleasing to the kids and adults alike. The free popcorn made it even more enjoyable.

The harassed mothers and eager kids showed wonderful restraint. They followed directions as given and showed great patience.

The Legion's Christmas party budget busted. More than 600 kids over those expected showed up for the party. The Legion allotted more funds and Legionnaires scurried all over town securing enough gifts so that every kid received at least one gift. The Knights of Columbus are to be complimented in their quick response to the call for gifts. Even more gifts were bought at local stores.

Felix Seeger was chairman of the party, but it was far from being a one-man show. Prominent among those assisting Felix were Russell Elliott, Lucien Kidd, Leroy Luke, John Rutherford and at least two dozens more as well as Commander Buehler, Legion auxiliary members and Boy Scouts were active and a wonderful help.

I say, "Let 'em cuss Hancock County." There's still a lot of fine guys here, and my hat's off to them.

GORDON C. ROMANOFF  
Bay St. Louis

Editor, Sea Coast Echo:  
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**School Menus**

Lunchroom menus for the Bay St. Louis Separate Municipal School District for the week of Jan. 4 are as follows:

MONDAY—Red beans and rice, bologna, cole slaw, peanut butter and crackers, bread.

TUESDAY—Turnip and collard greens, pork sausage, sweet potatoes, corn, apple sauce and bread.

WEDNESDAY—Meat balls and spaghetti, buttered corn, lettuce salad, cake and hot rolls.

THURSDAY—Hot dogs on buns with chili, buttered carrots, parsleyed potatoes and jelly.

FRIDAY—Stuffed crab, baked macaroni, green peas, pudding and bread.

Milk and butter are served with every meal.

and infant son, Miss Nancy Brown.

Dec. 26—Mrs. Victor Necaise

Dec. 24—Arthur Gisborne, Mrs. Viola Haas.

Dec. 23—Mrs. r. s. Clayton Thompson.

Dec. 26—Miss Nancy Brown, Mrs. Carlos Arnold, Jerry Heitzman.

Dec. 27—Gordon Courge, Mrs. R. H. Kneeling.

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### From Our Files

#### By Gone Days

##### 10 YEARS AGO.

The Echo took a holiday.

##### 25 YEARS AGO

Dec. 28, 1934—Superintendent of Education and Mrs. Albert S. McQueen, whose place of residence out Carroll Avenue was recently destroyed by fire, have taken the Carl Marshall place, originally the W. J. Harrison dwelling, on the north beach front.

#### LEGAL NOTICES

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI  
COUNTY OF HANCOCK  
NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County will receive sealed bids until 9:00 o'clock A. M., Monday, January 4th, 1960.

Given under my hand and seal of office, this 7th day of December, A. D. 1959.  
(SEAL) A. C. MITCHELL  
CLERK OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

12/10, 12/17, 12/24, 12/31  
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI  
COUNTY OF HANCOCK  
NOTICE TO BIDDERS OF HOSPITAL EQUIPMENT

Sealed bids in duplicate for the furnishing of certain items of equipment as described in specifications now on file in the Office of the Chancery Clerk, Hancock County, Mississippi will be received until ten o'clock A. M. (10:00), January 6th, 1960, at the Chancery Clerk's Office, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, by the Board of Supervisors, Hancock County, Mississippi, at which time they will be publicly opened and read.

As soon thereafter as seems practicable to the Board of Supervisors, awards of orders to the successful bidder or bidders will be made, subject to the concurrence of the Mississippi Commission on Hospital Care and the Public Health Service with whose assistance this purchase is being made, it being a part or all of the equipment required for the Hancock County Hospital, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, Project No. Mississippi-86.

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are to be received are on file in the Office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, at the Court House in Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, and may be obtained from said Clerk by prospective bidders.

Detailed instructions to Bidders and bid form may be procured from the Clerk of the Board, and all bids must be submitted in duplicate on the form or proposal to be furnished by the Board.

All bidders shall be bound by the instructions to Bidders.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

GIVEN under my hand and official seal of office, this 14th day of December, A. D. 1959.

A. C. MITCHELL  
CLERK OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
(SEAL) 12/17, 12/24, 12/31

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WAVELAND, MISSISSIPPI



**GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY** - The Rev. and Mrs. J. Cude Rousseaux of 320 Jeff Davis Ave., Waveland celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary Tuesday night in their home. Many friends, relatives and well wishers were on hand for the occasion.

## Waveland Notes

BY CECILE TURCOTTE HO7-4659

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph d'Aquin are in New Orleans where they spent the Christmas holidays visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ott Brockman and daughters, Christine and Peggy, of Hattiesburg have returned after spending Christmas with Mr. Brockman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Brockman sr.

Mr. and Mrs. James Schmidt and children of New Orleans were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Bourgeois sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Hartel and family of New Orleans are spending a part of the holidays at their home on Beach Blvd.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Kober and children will return Saturday from New Orleans where they spent the past two weeks visiting relatives.

Mrs. Richard Kramer has returned from Mobile, Ala., where she spent Christmas with her son and daughter-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. Richard Kramer jr. and daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cirlot of Moss Point visited Miss Mary Margaret Turcotte Tuesday. Mrs. Cirlot and Miss Turcotte are former college roommates.

Sgt. Harry Mayer left Tuesday for Whitman Air Force Base at Sedalia, Mo., after spending a leave with Mrs. Mayer and daughter, Cheryl Ann.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ferry had as their guests during the

## City Echoes

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Satterlee of Dunbar Avenue celebrated the Christmas season with a family dinner Sunday with five of their six children and their families which included 19 grandchildren all of New Orleans. Their grandson, Charles Satterlee, is visiting here this week. Mr. Satterlee is planning a house-warming for her new greenhouse, a Christmas gift from her husband, sometime after Jan. 1.

Mrs. Anna B. Cavanaugh is spending the holiday season with her three sons and their families in New Orleans.

Celebrating the holiday season with a family dinner at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Clapp, were their seven children and their families Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Dean of Spokane, Wash.; Mr. and Mrs. John T. Clapp of El Paso, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Dickey of Maracaibo, Venezuela; Mr. and Mrs. Pat Stump of Gretna, La.; Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Leftwich of Gretna; and Robert and William Clapp of Bay St. Louis. Out of town members of the family will remain through the Jan. 2 wedding of Robert and Miss Sandra Webmeyer of New Orleans.

Billy and Betty Lou Johnston, children and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnston of Bay St. Louis, were guests Sunday of Pamela Lopez in New Orleans.

Gail Finlay is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Fenlay on Engman Ave. Gail is a junior at Mississippi Southern College.

Mr. and Mrs. William Monroe are expecting for the New Year's weekend Dr. and Mrs. Jack Mc-Masters jr. of San Antonio, Tex., and Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Monroe and daughter, Margaret, from New Orleans.

R. I. Jones was feted at a surprise birthday party Saturday at his home, 424 Jeff Davis Ave., Waveland, by his wife, Myrtle, and two daughter, Miss Jerry Jones and Mrs. James Ginn. Guests included Mrs. Theresa Fraser, Debbie Ginn, Mr. and Mrs. Emile Bourgeois and Miss Marlene Bourgeois, all of Chalmette, La.; Wayne Bourgeois of Houston, Tex.; Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Bourgeois, Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Hammer, all of New Orleans; Mr. and Mrs. Z. A. Bourgeois of Arabi, La.; Mrs. Nora Ranson of Waveland and Mr. and Mrs. Claude S. Bourgeois sr. and son of Biloxi.

Mrs. Boss, a Syracuse alumna, gave Mr. Boss 20 points on the Cotton Bowl, the loser to wash dishes for a week. We don't think Mr. Boss is running any risk of acquiring dishpan hands.

Mrs. Peter Tudury of 131 Main St., celebrated her 92 birthday Christmas Day with family and friends calling throughout the day.

The former Miss Ida Saucier of Bay St. Louis, she was honored by Mayor John Scaife during the Bay St. Louis centennial as Hancock County's oldest living native.

Henry Pullizano and son, Joseph, went hunting Christmas Eve. The rabbits weren't jumping like he had heard but they managed to bring home some evidence, two.

Larry Watkins made a cruise up the Jordan Sunday and noticed quite a few fishermen at work. The water appeared good, he said, but didn't see any fish.

Our vote goes to Lloyd Lader's Christmas tree next to the fish market on Hancock St. It is a 23-year old native fir that he planted himself and has strung up 300 lights this year.

Following the custom of sports writers we cannot resist the urge to stick out our necks and try to pick at least one bowl winner. At the risk of being ostracized forever from Mississippi

**Births**  
Mr. and Mrs. Victor Necaise, a son, Douglas Wayne, born Dec. 23 at Hancock County Hospital. Mrs. Necaise is the former Miss Betty Lou Bivens.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton E. Thompson, a daughter, Virginia Ann, born Dec. 25 at Hancock County Hospital. Mrs. Thompson is the former Miss Yvonne Elizabeth Farve.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Anthony Arnold, a son, Robert Emmett, born Dec. 26 at Hancock County Hospital. Mrs. Arnold is the former Miss Gayle Patricia Drury.

Lindi Orlin and sister Louise Ellen renovated the school library after the shipment of new books was received.

Deanne Griffin gave a Christmas party the night of Dec. 21. It was attended by many SJA girls.

Joan Hubbard is staying with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Levy over the Christmas holidays.

## LEGAL NOTICES

BY: FERNAND LAPEYRE, EXECUTOR - CAUSE NO. 8278

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**  
Letters Testamentary on the Estate of Mrs. Annie Febiger Riess, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 29th day of December, 1959, and therefore, notice is hereby given, requiring all persons having claims against said estate to have same probated and registered by the Clerk of said Court within six months from this date, and failure to so probate and register same in six months will bar the claim.

FERNAND LAPEYRE, Executor of the Estate of Mrs. Annie Febiger Riess, deceased 12/31, 1/7, 1/14, 1/21

**IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF PRICE LEE, DECEASED**  
BY: JAMES L. LEE, ADMINISTRATOR, C.T.A.  
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JAMES L. LEE, ADMINISTRATOR, C. T. A. of the Estate of Price Lee, deceased. 12/31, 1/7, 1/14, 1/21

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Merritt of 225 Leonard Ave., entertained a small group of friends Tuesday night with an informal buffet supper in honor of his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Merritt of Elizabeth City, N. C., who will be visiting here about a week.

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**STATE OF MISSISSIPPI COUNTY OF HANCOCK**  
**NOTICE TO BANKS**  
Notice is hereby given that the Board of Supervisors will, on Monday, January 4th, 1960, receive sealed bids to be filed with the Clerk of this Board for the privilege of keeping County Funds, and for the funds collected by the Sheriff and Tax Collector and other public funds. Said Notice shall be given pursuant to Section 9145 Code of 1942, amended, to each and every bank in adjoining counties. Said bid or bids must be on file with the Clerk on or prior to 9:00 o'clock A. M., with the Board reserving the right to reject any and all bids.

Given under my hand and seal of office, this 7th day of December, A. D. 1959.  
(SEAL) A. C. MITCHELL  
CLERK OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
12/10, 12/17, 12/24, 12/31

**NOTICE OF FEDERAL INJUNCTION**  
Against Hunting, Trapping, Fishing and Trespassing on Lands of THE IWANTA COMPANY  
Notice is hereby given that the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Louisiana in Civil Action No. 5515 issued a permanent injunction on February 8, 1956, enjoining and prohibiting the defendant therein and others, from hunting, trapping, fishing or otherwise trespassing upon the lands of The Iwanta Company located in St. Tammany Parish South of Highway 90 between East Pearl River and West Pearl River and more particularly described in said injunction judgment.

Persons trespassing upon the above described lands of The Iwanta Company will be proceeded against before the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Louisiana THE IWANTA COMPANY 12/3, 12/10, 12/17, 12/24, 12/30

**Mrs. Edwards Is Wed to Mr. Hardin**  
Mrs. Joseph E. Edwards and Mr. Harry Simms Hardin were married at 2:30 p.m. Sunday at her home here by the Rev. Charles R. Johnson, rector of Christ Episcopal Church, in the presence of the immediate families and a few close friends.

Mrs. Edwards was given in marriage by her son, Joseph Edwards jr. Miss Jeanne Edwards was her mother's maid of honor. Harry Simms Hardin jr. was his father's best man.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardin will make their home in the Georgian in New Orleans following a short wedding trip. She is the former Miss Annette Mahoney.

**MARRIAGE LICENSES**  
Three applications for marriage licenses of local interest were received this week in the office of county Clerk of Courts. Applying were David Wallace Peterson, Poplarville, and Vernelle Cuevas, Pass Christian; Harry Simms Hardin and Mrs. Annette Mahoney Edwards, both of Bay St. Louis; and Matthew Claiborne Cuevas jr., Pass Christian, and Mrs. Eran Necaise Bilbo, Kiln.

**League Board Meets**  
The League of Women Voters of Hancock County will have a board meeting at 9:30 a.m. Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Lewis Wagner, Nicholson Avenue, Waveland.

**LEGAL NOTICES**  
**IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF MRS. ANNIE FEBIGER RIESS, DECEASED**

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### Edith Traub Selected for Career Meet

Edith Traub, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Traub, and Cheryl Lynn Bright of Greenville, S.C., were selected to represent the 50th Ohio Region of the Girl Scouts of America at the 1940 Career Conference July 29-Aug. 7, at Rockwood National Camp, Bethesda, Md. It was announced by national scout headquarters this week.

The two girls were selected from applicants from Alabama, Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi and Tennessee.

Miss Traub is a junior at Bay High. She is Hancock County's forestry queen for 1939, campus queen in freshman and sophomore years, was voted outstanding girl student in freshman and sophomore years, has been on the honor roll since entering the school, is a cheer leader and president of the Future Homemakers of America at Bay High.

She won the American Legion award for outstanding girl who graduated from grammar school and is president of the Methodist Youth Fellowship.

Last summer Miss Traub was a member of an eight-girl patrol from Live Oak Council who went to a round-up at Colorado Springs at the foot of Pikes Peak. It was attended by girl scouts from the 49 states and 27 countries.

### Santa Stages Gala Visit At Legion's Yule Party

While Santa Claus makes his red airplane preparations for landing after a day's flight from the North Pole, thousands of happy children wait and cheer from the streets of Greenville for his arrival at the American Legion home.

### Pair to Wed

Miss Sandra Lee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weimer, of this city, and Mr. Robert Carter, of Bay, S.C., were united in marriage at 2 p.m. Saturday at St. James of the Archdiocese in New Orleans. A reception will follow at a private residence.

### Church Dinner Set

The very Rev. Messrs. Nelson, of St. James Church, and Messrs. Carter, of St. James Church, will preside at the annual dinner of the Christ Episcopal Church at 8 p.m. Jan. 1 at the church.

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MODERN SANTA - After landing in his red airplane, Santa Claus arrived in the Bay of St. James in time to keep an appointment with thousands of children waiting at the American Legion home.

### New Year's Party

The annual New Year's Party at the Bay-Warland Yacht Club will begin at 9:30 p.m. tonight.

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| TOSSED GREEN SALAD             | 75c |
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| Fried Potatoes                 | 75c |
| ROAST YOUNG TOM TURKEY         | 75c |
| TOSSED GREEN SALAD             | 75c |
| BAKED POTATO                   | 75c |
| COFFEE OR TEA                  | 75c |

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### BEST DOORWAY

This handsome doorway of Mrs. J. J. at 306 DeMottville Ave. won top honors in the B-W garden club's Yule lighting contest.

### McCulloch Episcopal Women

McCulloch will be the president of the Women's Episcopal Church of St. James, Christmas Eve service at 7:30 a.m., service at 7:30 a.m.

### Sorority Elects

Miss Peggy Kergosien, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Kergosien, was recently elected vice president of Chi Omega fraternity at Mississippi Southern College where she is a member of the sophomore class.

### Blaze Destroys...

Fireman from Rocky Hill Fire Tower, Miller said, came, but could do very little since the house was nearly gone and their equipment is set up for fighting brush fires.

### RIDER LOSES

Louis, and James C. Page of 425 Main St. were both charged with reckless driving when a Fiat operated by Miss Wiggins was struck by the Page auto at Touline and Main Streets, according to City Police Chief Alvin Saucier and city policeman Jack Lathner.

### TRY TO CLEAR

The landowners must pay the amount assessed by the government on the property before it can be patented. A minimum cash has been set at \$1,250 per acre, but it is not yet known what assessment the government will set, an IRS source said.

### Graduate

Robert Vest of Gulfport escaped injury at 4:30 p.m. Sunday when he lost control of his 1939 Ford and ran into a ditch on Highway 43 near Shorty's Place, according to investigating patrolman William Kenny and Capt. No charges were filed.

### Cash Grocery

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SYNOPSIS OF THE REPORT OF AN AUDIT MADE OF HANCOCK COUNTY BY THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF AUDIT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 1958

1. Statement showing receipts and expenditures of county funds (with the exception of the school funds) for the year of 1958 in comparison with the previous year of 1957:

|   | 1958                | 1957               | Increase<br>Decrease- |
|---|---------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|
| <b>REVENUE RECEIPTS</b>                     |                     |                    |                       |
| County Sources:                             |                     |                    |                       |
| Property Tax                                | \$215,334.91        | \$188,398.57       | \$ 26,936.34          |
| All Other Local Revenues                    | 53,772.75           | 55,752.48          | 1,979.73-             |
| Total Revenues from County Sources          | 269,107.66          | 244,151.05         | 24,956.61             |
| State and Other Outside Aid:                |                     |                    |                       |
| Gasoline Tax                                | 342,311.04          | 352,635.16         | 10,324.12-            |
| Truck and Bus Tax                           | 24,565.61           | 24,092.19          | 473.42                |
| Severance Taxes (Gross)                     | 15,823.03           | 4,802.31           | 11,020.72             |
| Homestead Exemption Reimbursement           | 33,318.26           | 34,895.11          | 1,576.85-             |
| Other Outside Aid                           | 24.46               | 62.36              | 37.90-                |
| Total State and Other Outside Aid           | 416,042.40          | 416,487.13         | 444.73-               |
| <b>TOTAL REVENUE RECEIPTS</b>               | <b>685,150.06</b>   | <b>660,638.18</b>  | <b>24,511.88</b>      |
| <b>NON-REVENUE RECEIPTS</b>                 |                     |                    |                       |
| Proceeds of Bond Issues                     | 250,000.00          |                    | 250,000.00            |
| Sales of Bonds Owned                        |                     | 15,000.00          | 15,000.00-            |
| All Other Non-Revenue Receipts              | 21,105.68           | 8,395.33           | 12,710.35             |
| <b>TOTAL NON-REVENUE RECEIPTS</b>           | <b>271,105.68</b>   | <b>23,395.33</b>   | <b>247,710.35</b>     |
| <b>TOTAL YEAR RECEIPTS</b>                  | <b>956,255.74</b>   | <b>684,033.51</b>  | <b>272,222.23</b>     |
| <b>OPERATING EXPENDITURES</b>               |                     |                    |                       |
| Office and Administration                   | 58,594.70           | 50,736.71          | 7,857.99              |
| Judicial, Lunacy and Imprisonment           | 21,780.30           | 24,012.27          | 2,231.97-             |
| Health and Sanitation                       | 12,851.15           | 10,034.34          | 2,816.81              |
| Charities and Public Welfare                | 23,143.66           | 21,633.75          | 1,509.91              |
| Farm and Home Service                       | 10,525.90           | 9,676.47           | 849.43                |
| Maint. and Opr. of Public Buildings         | 8,038.23            | 7,971.53           | 66.70                 |
| Library and Other Public Service            | 11,452.57           | 15,696.80          | 4,244.23-             |
| Maintenance of Roads and Bridges            | 232,859.26          | 261,615.20         | 28,755.94-            |
| Other General Costs                         | 8,336.00            |                    | 8,336.00              |
| Debt Service (Bond Interest, etc.)          | 53,881.11           | 39,978.75          | 13,902.36             |
| <b>TOTAL OPERATING EXPENDITURES</b>         | <b>441,462.88</b>   | <b>441,355.82</b>  | <b>107.06</b>         |
| <b>NON-OPERATING EXPENDITURES</b>           |                     |                    |                       |
| Highway Construction                        | 32,883.83           |                    | 32,883.83             |
| Other Construction                          | 26,874.90           | 39,539.91          | 12,665.01-            |
| Road Machinery and Other Equipment          | 70,528.34           | 15,350.00          | 55,178.34             |
| Redemption of Bonds                         | 126,000.00          | 116,000.00         | 10,000.00             |
| Loans Repaid to Outside Agencies            | 8,600.00            | 8,600.00           |                       |
| All Other Non-Operating Expenditures        | 120,002.93          | 16,155.05          | 103,847.88            |
| <b>TOTAL NON-OPERATING EXPENDITURES</b>     | <b>384,890.00</b>   | <b>195,644.96</b>  | <b>189,245.04</b>     |
| <b>TOTAL YEAR EXPENDITURES</b>              | <b>826,352.88</b>   | <b>637,000.78</b>  | <b>189,352.10</b>     |
| <b>EXCESS OF RECEIPTS OVER EXPENDITURES</b> | <b>\$129,902.86</b> | <b>\$47,032.73</b> | <b>\$82,870.13</b>    |

2. Statement of receipts and expenditures of road funds:

|                                      | TOTAL               | First Road<br>District<br>Fund | Second Road<br>District<br>Fund | Third Road<br>District<br>Fund | Fourth Road<br>District<br>Fund | Fifth Road<br>District<br>Fund | Special<br>Road<br>Fund |
|--------------------------------------|---------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------|
| <b>REVENUE</b>                       |                     |                                |                                 |                                |                                 |                                |                         |
| County Sources:                      |                     |                                |                                 |                                |                                 |                                |                         |
| Property Tax                         | \$46,423.77         | \$8,269.75                     | \$8,269.76                      | \$8,269.77                     | \$8,269.79                      | \$8,187.75                     | \$5,156.95              |
| Auto Road and Bridge Privilege       | 31,956.04           | 6,391.18                       | 6,391.19                        | 6,391.21                       | 6,391.22                        | 6,391.24                       |                         |
|                                      | 78,379.81           | 14,660.93                      | 14,660.95                       | 14,660.98                      | 14,661.01                       | 14,578.99                      | 5,156.95                |
| State and Other Outside Aid:         |                     |                                |                                 |                                |                                 |                                |                         |
| Gasoline Tax                         | 229,621.45          | 21,095.84                      | 21,095.82                       | 21,095.85                      | 21,095.85                       | 21,095.84                      | 124,142.25              |
| Truck and Bus Tax                    | 22,109.07           | 4,421.77                       | 4,421.81                        | 4,421.82                       | 4,421.83                        | 4,421.84                       |                         |
| Homestead Exemption Reimbursement    | 16,226.42           | 2,146.23                       | 2,146.23                        | 2,146.23                       | 2,146.23                        | 2,146.24                       |                         |
|                                      | 267,956.94          | 27,663.84                      | 27,663.86                       | 27,663.90                      | 27,663.91                       | 27,663.92                      | 129,637.51              |
| <b>TOTAL REVENUE RECEIPTS</b>        | <b>346,336.75</b>   | <b>42,324.77</b>               | <b>42,324.81</b>                | <b>42,324.88</b>               | <b>42,324.92</b>                | <b>42,242.91</b>               | <b>134,794.46</b>       |
| <b>NON-REVENUE</b>                   |                     |                                |                                 |                                |                                 |                                |                         |
| Loans from Other Funds               | 23,500.00           | 15,000.00                      |                                 |                                | 4,000.00                        | 4,500.00                       |                         |
| Loans Repaid by Other Funds          | 11,000.00           |                                |                                 |                                |                                 |                                |                         |
| Transfers Between Funds              | 15,105.90           |                                | 7,576.45                        |                                | 2,929.45                        |                                | 11,000.00               |
| Proceeds of Bond Issues              | 75,000.00           |                                |                                 |                                | 75,000.00                       |                                | 4,600.00                |
| Sales of Personal Property           | 2,000.00            | 2,000.00                       |                                 |                                |                                 |                                |                         |
| Miscellaneous                        | 10,695.79           | 33.49                          |                                 |                                | 9.20                            |                                |                         |
| <b>TOTAL NON-REVENUE RECEIPTS</b>    | <b>137,301.69</b>   | <b>17,033.49</b>               | <b>7,576.45</b>                 |                                | <b>81,938.65</b>                | <b>4,500.00</b>                | <b>10,653.10</b>        |
| <b>TOTAL YEAR RECEIPTS</b>           | <b>483,638.44</b>   | <b>59,358.26</b>               | <b>49,901.26</b>                | <b>42,324.88</b>               | <b>124,263.57</b>               | <b>46,742.91</b>               | <b>161,047.56</b>       |
| <b>PLUS: BEGINNING CASH BALANCES</b> | <b>303,460.53</b>   | <b>8,775.61</b>                | <b>17,748.13</b>                | <b>8,113.75</b>                | <b>10,146.79</b>                | <b>9,501.00</b>                | <b>249,175.25</b>       |
| <b>TOTAL CASH TO ACCOUNT FOR</b>     | <b>\$787,098.97</b> | <b>\$68,133.87</b>             | <b>\$67,649.39</b>              | <b>\$50,438.63</b>             | <b>\$134,410.36</b>             | <b>\$56,243.91</b>             | <b>\$410,222.81</b>     |
| <b>EXPENDITURES</b>                  |                     |                                |                                 |                                |                                 |                                |                         |
| <b>OPERATING</b>                     |                     |                                |                                 |                                |                                 |                                |                         |
| Salary and Wage:                     |                     |                                |                                 |                                |                                 |                                |                         |
| Supervisors                          | \$15,294.20         | \$1,194.20                     | \$1,200.00                      | \$1,200.00                     | \$1,200.00                      | \$1,200.00                     | \$9,300.00              |
| Engineer, Commissioner, Acc't        | 3,000.00            |                                |                                 |                                |                                 |                                |                         |
| Foremen and Other Employees          | 69,474.20           | 11,056.00                      | 13,457.40                       | 9,733.50                       | 13,536.00                       | 17,119.30                      | 3,000.00                |
| Maintenance Materials and Supplies:  |                     |                                |                                 |                                |                                 |                                |                         |
| Lumber, all kinds                    | 4,442.34            | 536.12                         | 757.75                          | 1,241.04                       | 1,458.69                        | 448.74                         |                         |
| Piling, all kinds                    | 779.00              |                                |                                 |                                | 779.00                          |                                |                         |
| Structural Steel and Cable           | 567.50              |                                | 42.50                           |                                | 525.00                          |                                |                         |
| Nails, Small Tools, Misc. Hdwe       | 1,716.02            | 189.33                         | 207.07                          | 61.70                          | 835.87                          | 422.05                         |                         |
| Wood Preservative                    | 2,754.80            |                                | 1,072.00                        | 723.00                         | 959.80                          |                                |                         |
| Gravel                               | 17,754.15           | 4,806.25                       | 7,106.50                        | 1,581.00                       | 1,046.80                        | 3,213.60                       |                         |
| Asphalt and Concrete                 | 4,847.26            | 2,494.49                       |                                 |                                | 948.12                          | 1,404.65                       |                         |
| Culvert Pipe                         | 20,306.71           | 4,082.13                       | 4,277.72                        | 3,394.31                       | 2,046.10                        | 6,506.45                       |                         |
| Miscellaneous                        | 2,534.89            | 60.00                          | 244.37                          |                                | 180.00                          | 266.50                         |                         |
| <b>Petroleum Products:</b>           |                     |                                |                                 |                                |                                 |                                |                         |
| Motor Fuel (Gasoline, Diesel Fuel)   | 12,238.56           | 1,786.83                       | 2,374.37                        | 2,089.59                       | 4,311.43                        | 1,676.34                       | 1,784.02                |
| Motor Oils and Grease                | 1,807.23            | 153.73                         | 198.78                          | 452.43                         | 755.56                          | 246.73                         |                         |
| Miscellaneous                        | 140.61              | 15.65                          | 30.76                           | 17.36                          | 26.46                           | 50.38                          |                         |
| <b>Machinery Repair, Rental:</b>     |                     |                                |                                 |                                |                                 |                                |                         |
| On-the-job Repair (Labor, parts)     | 9,091.75            | 1,480.21                       | 1,352.09                        | 589.96                         | 4,602.58                        | 1,024.34                       | 42.57                   |
| Off-the-job Repair (Garages)         | 3,428.15            | 641.25                         | 23.75                           | 241.11                         | 1,657.89                        | 748.10                         | 116.05                  |
| Tires and Tubes                      | 1,804.36            | 478.50                         | 22.30                           | 381.07                         | 844.09                          | 78.40                          |                         |
| Grader Blades                        | 1,751.31            |                                | 230.40                          | 684.35                         | 722.04                          | 114.52                         |                         |
| Equipment Rental                     | 3,654.50            | 240.00                         | 335.00                          | 1,136.00                       | 724.00                          | 1,219.50                       |                         |
| <b>Other Operating Costs:</b>        |                     |                                |                                 |                                |                                 |                                |                         |
| Interest Charge                      | 1,449.07            | 262.50                         | 284.00                          | 525.00                         | 325.07                          | 52.50                          |                         |
| Truck Tags                           | 219.20              | 26.80                          |                                 |                                | 32.00                           | 130.40                         |                         |
| Social Security                      | 1,135.82            | 185.02                         | 151.82                          | 73.20                          | 173.01                          | 314.82                         | 237.95                  |

3. Statement of assets and liabilities for the year of 1958 in comparison with year of 1957:

|                                      | 9-30-58               | 9-30-57               |
|--------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| <b>ASSETS</b>                        |                       |                       |
| <b>CURRENT</b>                       |                       |                       |
| Cash in Depository:                  |                       |                       |
| General County Funds                 | \$263,824.53          | \$60,167.58           |
| Road and Bridge Funds                | 242,316.80            | 303,460.53            |
| Bond and Interest-Sinking Funds      | 175,667.73            | 161,788.98            |
| 16th Section Principal Funds         | 13,849.44             | 40,338.55             |
| Total Funds                          | 695,658.50            | 565,755.64            |
| Notes Receivable                     | 58,064.79             | 38,525.68             |
| <b>TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS</b>          | <b>753,723.29</b>     | <b>604,281.32</b>     |
| <b>ROAD WORKING EQUIPMENT</b>        | <b>169,409.81</b>     | <b>125,286.02</b>     |
| <b>DEFERRED CHARGES</b>              | <b>540.00</b>         | <b>2,550.00</b>       |
| <b>FIXED ASSETS</b>                  | <b>2,564,196.64</b>   | <b>2,429,142.82</b>   |
| <b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>                  | <b>\$3,487,869.74</b> | <b>\$3,161,260.16</b> |
| <b>LIABILITIES AND SURPLUS</b>       |                       |                       |
| <b>CURRENT</b>                       |                       |                       |
| Loans Payable to Outside Agencies    | \$3,600.00            | \$17,200.00           |
| Other Current Liabilities            | 2,738.45              | 2,972.39              |
| <b>TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>     | <b>11,338.45</b>      | <b>20,172.39</b>      |
| <b>BONDED DEBT</b>                   | <b>1,136,500.00</b>   | <b>712,500.00</b>     |
| Less: School Issues                  | 303,500.00            | 16,500.00             |
| Net                                  | 833,000.00            | 696,000.00            |
| <b>SURPLUS</b>                       | <b>2,643,531.29</b>   | <b>2,445,087.77</b>   |
| <b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND SURPLUS</b> | <b>\$3,487,869.74</b> | <b>\$3,161,260.16</b> |

4. Schedule of road working machinery and equipment owned by each Supervisor's road district at the end of the year:  
Description Including Serial and Motor Number

DISTRICT ONE

- 1 McCormick Deering Roller 5 1/2 Ton IN-ID683
- 1 Ford Truck w/Dump Body F60VU22942
- 1 Ford Tractor S/101881
- 1 Bush Hog S/11235
- 1 KB Rosco Asphalt Kettle 110 Gal.
- 1 Galion Motor Grader UDFM-40618

DISTRICT TWO

- 1 Ford 2 Ton Truck F6RIMP29149
- 1 Dump Body S/86146
- 1 Int. Dragline & Piledriver UDMB21077
- 1 Galion Motor Grader M/3404
- 1 Ford Truck w/Dump Body F60L8U25246
- 1 KB Rosco Asphalt Kettle 110 Gal.

DISTRICT THREE

- 1 Cat. Motor Grader S/3U5273
- 1 Galion Motor Grader UDEM40018
- 1 KC Rosco Asphalt Kettle 165 Gal.

DISTRICT FOUR

- 1 Chev. Dump Truck DEAL78170
- 1 Dodge 2 Ton Truck 8130670
- 1 Adams Motor Grader M/6461A
- 1 Ford Truck F6R2MP-13554
- 1 Galion Motor Grader UD350M-3504
- 1 Used Bush Cutter
- 1 Used Anthony Dump Body D6-265

DISTRICT FIVE

- 1 Rex Concrete Mixer S/12242
- 1 Adams Motor Grader
- 1 Chev. Truck w/Dump Body 486-583
- 1 A. C. Wheel Tractor w/Mower 182482PA
- 1 Dodge Truck w/Dump Body T344-3372C
- 1 Yazoo Pull Mower
- 1 A. C. Motor Grader M/AC92610
- 1 White Asphalt Kettle F2

COUNTY-WIDE

- 1 Leaning Wheel Grader 104
- 1 GMC Truck w/Dump Body 34816063
- 1 Air Compressor & Paving Breaker 2022348
- 1 Two-Way Radio
- 1 Koehring Mud Jack S/26908
- 1 Cat. Tractor S/9U20368
- 1 Galion Roller S/34172
- 1 Rosco Asphalt Distributor S/3221
- 1 Grace K Sweeper
- 1 Grace 13Z Roller
- 1 Tow-rite 15 Ton Trailer
- 1 Ford Truck M/53679
- 1 Int. 1/2 Ton Pickup 41840B
- 1 Hough Payloader S/15B-1159
- 1 Galion Motor Grader IN6B1-160972
- 1 Ford Truck w/Dump Body F60L8U-16687
- 1 Cat. Bulldozer S/9U27093
- 1 Tow-rite Tilt Type 15 Ton Trailer

GRAND TOTAL

SUMMARY OF TRANSACTIONS DURING YEAR

|  |              |
|--|--------------|
| New Equipment Purchased & Adjustments                      | \$79,000.00  |
| Less: Equipment Sold                                       | 2,000.00     |
| Depreciation   | 32,923.30    |
| Net Increase in Value of All Road Working Equipment        | \$44,076.70  |
| Value of Equipment on Hand Beginning of Year               | 125,286.02   |
| Value of Equipment on Hand End of Year<br>(As Shown Above) | \$169,409.81 |

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# Minutes of Hancock County Board of Supervisors

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said county, as finally approved, for the reason that omitted from land roll

And it affirmatively appearing to this board

1. That the Clerk of this Board has given the required notice to said owner to the last known address, by mail, more than ten days before this meeting, as directed by the Order of this Board; and who appeared and presented objections (or failed to appear).

2. That the said owner has, in writing, agreed to the increase, waived notice, entered appearance before this Board and requested that the assessment be made final.

Waived notice  
And the Board having heard the evidence, and carefully considered the same, and being satisfied that the said assessment should be increased, as herein set forth.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED AND ADJUDGED by this Board that an increase in the said original assessment be and is hereby made and finally approved as follows:

The amount at page 558, Line 19, be increased from \$0 to \$85 Which property is an exempt home. (Not.)

C.  
being a total of the assessment on said roll of \$85; all said changes being for the year 1959.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED That the Clerk of this Board is hereby directed and commanded to certify two copies of this order to the State Tax Commission, as required by Section 9818, Code of 1942, and upon the approval of the said order by the said Commission to make the proper change on the assessment roll, and to certify a copy to the Sheriff and Tax Collector of this County, who shall proceed to collect taxes on said property as thus assessed as provided by law; and that the said Sheriff be duly charged with additional assessment.

ORDERED AND ADJUDGED this the 9 day of November, 1959, JACK LOTT President of the Board of Supervisors

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
In the Matter of Increasing the Assessment of Real Property STATE OF MISSISSIPPI COUNTY OF HINDS

IN THE MATTER OF THE ASSESSMENT MRS. ELIZABETH HARRIEL (Owner)

This day came on for final hearing by this Board of Supervisors at its Regular Oct. 1959 meeting, the matter of making an increase in the assessment of real estate assessed to said owner upon the 1959 Land Roll of said county, as finally approved, for the reason that omitted from land roll

And it affirmatively appearing to this board

1. That the Clerk of this Board has given the required notice to said owner to the last known address, by mail, more than ten days before this meeting, as directed by the Order of this Board; and who appeared and presented objections (or failed to appear).

2. That the said owner has, in writing, agreed to the increase,

Waived notice  
And the Board having heard the evidence, and carefully considered the same, and being satisfied that the said assessment should be increased, as herein set forth.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED AND ADJUDGED by this Board that an increase in the said original assessment be and is hereby made and finally approved as follows:

The amount at page 442, Line 10, be increased from \$0 to \$365 Which property is (Not) an exempt home.

C.  
being a total increase of the assessment on said roll of \$365 all said changes being for the year 1959.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED That the Clerk of this Board is hereby directed and commanded to certify two copies of this order to the State Tax Commission, as required by Section 9818, Code of 1942, and upon the approval of the said order by the said Commission to make the proper change on the assessment roll, and to certify a copy to the Sheriff and Tax Collector of this County, who shall proceed to collect taxes on said property as thus assessed as provided by law; and that the said Sheriff be duly charged with additional assessment.

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2. That the said owner has, in writing, agreed to the increase,

by the county for the sum and amount of Four Thousand, Five Hundred (\$4,500.00) Dollars, and that said land be paid for out of the Health and Sick Fund, and which property is to be used for a Public Health Center purposes.

The Motion for the adoption of the foregoing order was adopted and duly seconded by Supervisor Russ and unanimously adopted.

## ORDER #2

There came on for consideration the offer of the City of Bay St. Louis of a Two Thousand (\$2,000.00) dollar grant to the County towards the erection, construction and equipping of a County Public Health Center, and the Board having duly considered the matter finds that it is in need of said funds, and that said grant should be accepted.

WHEREUPON it was moved, seconded and unanimously adopted that the grant of Two Thousand (\$2,000.00) from the City of Bay St. Louis be and the same is hereby accepted.

BE IT ORDERED by the Board that the Board recess until Monday Morning, November 23, 1959, at 9:00 o'clock A. M.

JACK LOTT PRESIDENT

MONDAY MORNING, November 23, 1959, at 9:00 o'clock A. M., the Board met pursuant to recess. There being present as on November 16, 1959.

## INTER FUND LOAN TO SCHOOL FUND

WHEREAS the County School Board has request a loan from the County in the amount of \$10,000.00 as set out in the said Minutes of said School Board of November 14, 1959, and

WHEREAS, it is agreeable to the Board of Supervisors to make said loan, it is therefore

ORDERED by the Board that the Clerk of this Board be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue warrant out of the Road Protection Bond Fund in the amount of \$10,000.00 payable to the Hancock County School Fund as an inter fund loan.

ORDER OF STATE TAX COMMISSION APPROVING PERSONAL ROLL

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI COUNTY OF HINDS  
WHEREAS, the Clerk of the

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1959 THE SEA COAST ECHO PAGE SEVEN

Board of Supervisors of Hancock County has filed with the State Tax Commission a copy of the Personal Assessment Roll of said County as of the first day of January, 1959, in the manner prescribed by Section 9807, Code of 1942, and other laws, and showing a total Assessment of Personal Property as follows:

TOTAL PERSONAL ASSESSMENT OF COUNTY \$386,835

SUBJECT TO STATE TAXES ONLY (EXEMPT FROM LOCAL TAXES) NONE

Subject to Levee Taxes \$ None

And it appearing to the satisfaction of the State Tax Commission that the roll and the assessments contained in the same have been made, and the roll prepared in conformity to the requirements of law, and that the assessments have been fixed in accordance with the orders of this Commission, it is, therefore, ordered that the Personal Assessment Roll be and the same is hereby approved.

Ordered and adjudged this the 19th day of November, A. D. 1959.

THE STATE TAX COMMISSION BY /s/ ARMY RHODEN Ad Valorem Commissioner

CERTIFICATE OF SECRETARY OF TAX COMMISSION

I, H. P. Taylor, Secretary of the State Tax Commission of the State of Mississippi, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of an order of the State Tax Commission adopted on the date therein stated, and as shown in the Minutes of the said Corporation.

Witness my signature this the 19 day of November, 1959.

/s/ H. P. TAYLOR Secretary, State Tax Commission

## ORDER OF STATE TAX COMMISSION APPROVING REAL ROLL

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI COUNTY OF HINDS

WHEREAS, the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County as of the first day of January, 1959, in the manner prescribed by Section 9807, Code of 1942, and other laws, and showing a total Assessment of Real Property as follows:

Total Land Assessment of ACRES

County 282,533 8,105,653

Subject to State Taxes (exempt from Local Taxes) None

Acres NONE: \$ NONE  
And it appearing to the satisfaction of the State Tax Commission that the roll and the

assessments contained in the same have been made, and the roll prepared in conformity to the requirements of law, and that the assessments have been fixed in accordance with the orders of this Commission, it is, therefore, ordered that the Real Assessment Roll be and the same is hereby approved, insofar as it relates to the assessment and total value of Real Property, and exclusive of the supplemental Roll of approved, insofar as it relates to the assessment and total value of Real Property, and exclusive of the Supplemental Roll of Exempt Homes to be hereafter submitted for approval.

Ordered and adjudged this the 19 day of November, A. D. 1959.

THE STATE TAX COMMISSION BY /s/ ARMY RHODEN Ad Valorem Commissioner

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Witness my signature this the 19 day of November, 1959.

/s/ H. P. TAYLOR Secretary, State Tax Commission

## NOTIFY CONTRACTORS OF HOSPITAL OF WATER PUMP DAMAGE

It was ordered by the Board that the Clerk of this Board notify by mail Perillat-Rickey Construction Company that the water pump had been damaged, also send copy of letter to Architect.

## ADVERTISE TO RENT OR PURCHASE USED RUBBER TIRE TRACTOR

BE IT ORDERED by the Board that the Clerk of this Board be and he is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for sealed bids for the rental or purchase of a used rubber tire tractor W6 or equivalent, the same to be for the use of the Seawall and bids are to be filed with the Clerk of this Board on or before 10:00 o'clock A. M., Monday, December 28, 1959, with the Board reserving the right to reject any and all bids.

advertis for tractor  
BE IT ORDERED by the Board that the Clerk of this Board be and he is hereby authorized and directed to advertise

for sealed bids for a tractor to be used for the use of the Seawall - one full diesel tractor (4 Wheel) with 7500 lbs front tires and 14K24 rear tires 6 ply. With not less than 36 maximum corrected brake horsepower, not less than 172 cubic inches piston displacement and with 16.1 to 1 compression ratio, and equipped with three-point live action hydraulic system and two speed independent power take off, and with heavy duty front end. Rear dual wheels and tires.

With wheelbase of 74.50 and a turning radius with brake locked of 8 ft. 11". Overall height of not more than 57.29 inches, overall length of 120.83 inches and overall width of not more than 87.50

Equipped with power steering and with 10 forward speed transmission which can be shifted on the go without clutching.

ROTTARY CUTTER (BUSH HOG) 1 3 Point lift type rotary cutter with 1 16K4.00 tall wheel and with an adjustable cut height of from 2 to 12 inches and with a cutting capacity of hardwood saplings up to 2 inches in diameter. With gear assembly of hardened steel gears assembled on timken roller bearings. Oil bath lubrication. Frame of 3/16 steel top plate and with 1/4" band heavy duty and one piece arc welded. With heat treated carbon steel blades 1/2X3, and with swinging type blades and saucer type blade holder.

REAR BLADE  
One compact unit rear blade adjustable. Tilt up to 40 degrees and in 10 degree steps.

Angle up to 45 degrees each side of center in 15 degree steps and with a 10 degree pitch from vertical, with further chance possible through top link of three point hitch.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

## APPEARANCE OF J. P. ROUSSEAU

Mr. J. P. Rousseau of Clermont Harbor appeared before the Board and set out in oral and documentary evidence that the assets of the Clermont Harbor water works as filed with the Public Service Commission is \$70,000.00, whereby the assessment as carried on the assessment rolls of Hancock County is \$400.00.

IN THE MATTER OF THE HOMESTEAD EXEMPTION CHARGES FOR YEARS 1956, 1957 and 1958.

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## SYNOPSIS OF AUDIT OF HANCOCK COUNTY FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPT. 30, 1958 (Cont. from Page 6.)

### 5. Trend of the bonded debt of the county:

|                          | Balance 10-1-57     | New Issues          | Bonds Redeemed      | Balance 9-30-58       |
|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|
| General County Purposes  |                     | \$175,000.00        | \$10,000.00         | \$165,000.00          |
| Road and Bridge Purposes | \$144,000.00        | 75,000.00           | 22,000.00           | 197,000.00            |
| School Purposes          | 16,500.00           | 300,000.00          | 13,000.00           | 303,500.00            |
| Road Protection Purposes | 552,000.00          |                     | 81,000.00           | 471,000.00            |
| <b>TOTAL</b>             | <b>\$712,500.00</b> | <b>\$550,000.00</b> | <b>\$126,000.00</b> | <b>\$1,136,500.00</b> |

If any further information is desired concerning the financial operation of the county during the year of 1958 the same may be obtained from the audit report on file in the office of the chancery clerk.

STATE DEPARTMENT OF AUDIT

Dexter Barr, C. P. A.  
Director

## 2. Statement of receipts and expenditures of road funds:

(Cont. from Page 6.)

|   |                     |                    |                    |                    |                     |                    |                     |
|---|---------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| State Retirement                        | 250.60              | 50.12              | 50.12              | 50.12              | 50.12               | 50.12              | 50.12               |
| Miscellaneous                           | 52,417.03           | 50.10              | 29.10              | 8.30               | 1,536.43            | 7.50               | 50,785.60           |
| Depreciation of Equipment               | 32,923.30           | 4,740.04           | 4,083.38           | 3,728.78           | 3,600.01            | 2,973.02           | 13,798.07           |
| <b>TOTAL OPERATING COSTS</b>            | <b>265,782.56</b>   | <b>34,559.27</b>   | <b>37,531.18</b>   | <b>27,911.82</b>   | <b>42,876.07</b>    | <b>39,267.96</b>   | <b>83,636.26</b>    |
| LESS: Depreciation Charge               | 32,923.30           | 4,740.04           | 4,083.38           | 3,728.78           | 3,600.01            | 2,973.02           | 13,798.07           |
| <b>TOTAL OPERATING EXPENDITURES</b>     | <b>232,859.26</b>   | <b>29,819.23</b>   | <b>33,447.80</b>   | <b>24,183.04</b>   | <b>39,276.06</b>    | <b>36,294.94</b>   | <b>69,838.19</b>    |
| <b>NON-OPERATING AND CAPITAL OUTLAY</b> |                     |                    |                    |                    |                     |                    |                     |
| Highway Construction Projects           | 32,883.83           | 38.20              |                    |                    | 32,635.63           | 210.00             |                     |
| Road Machinery and Equipment            | 70,528.34           | 17,057.00          | 3,452.39           | 720.00             | 350.00              | 635.00             | 48,313.95           |
| Lease-Rental Payments                   | 6,508.75            |                    | 270.00             |                    | 540.00              | 5,698.75           |                     |
| Miscellaneous                           | 68,811.63           | (46,914.43)        | (37,170.19)        | (24,903.04)        | (72,801.69)         | (42,838.69)        | (186,963.77)        |
| <b>(TOTAL EXPENDED ON ROADS)</b>        | <b>(411,591.81)</b> | <b>(46,914.43)</b> | <b>(37,170.19)</b> | <b>(24,903.04)</b> | <b>(72,801.69)</b>  | <b>(42,838.69)</b> | <b>(186,963.77)</b> |
| Bank Notes Paid                         | 8,600.00            |                    | 4,000.00           |                    | 4,000.00            | 1,500.00           |                     |
| Loans Repaid to Other Funds             | 20,500.00           | 5,000.00           |                    | 10,000.00          | 4,000.00            |                    | 11,000.00           |
| Loans Made to Other Funds               | 11,000.00           |                    |                    |                    |                     |                    | 64,600.00           |
| Transfers Between Funds                 | 75,105.90           |                    | 7,576.45           |                    | 2,929.45            |                    | 17,359.46           |
| Miscellaneous                           | 17,984.46           |                    |                    | 625.00             | 45,055.08           | 8,043.75           | 210,085.04          |
| <b>TOTAL NON-OPERATING EXPENDITURES</b> | <b>311,922.91</b>   | <b>22,095.20</b>   | <b>15,298.84</b>   | <b>11,345.00</b>   | <b>45,055.08</b>    | <b>8,043.75</b>    | <b>210,085.04</b>   |
| <b>TOTAL YEAR EXPENDITURES</b>          | <b>544,782.17</b>   | <b>51,914.43</b>   | <b>48,746.64</b>   | <b>35,528.04</b>   | <b>84,331.14</b>    | <b>44,338.69</b>   | <b>279,923.23</b>   |
| <b>PLUS: ENDING CASH BALANCES</b>       | <b>242,316.80</b>   | <b>16,219.44</b>   | <b>18,902.75</b>   | <b>14,910.59</b>   | <b>50,079.22</b>    | <b>11,905.22</b>   | <b>130,299.58</b>   |
| <b>TOTAL CASH ACCOUNTED FOR</b>         | <b>\$787,098.97</b> | <b>\$68,133.87</b> | <b>\$67,649.39</b> | <b>\$50,438.63</b> | <b>\$134,410.36</b> | <b>\$56,243.91</b> | <b>\$410,222.81</b> |

## Echoes

RECENTLY WED - Mr. and Mrs. Edward Carriere in marriage at a ceremony Dec. 19 at Our Lady of the Sacred Heart Church. Mrs. Carriere is the former Miss Benigno, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony J. Benigno of Winooski, La.

new home on Livingston Drive in Pass Christian Isles last week. They had been residing on Charles Drive.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles A. Feigley and son, Steve, of Baton Rouge will arrive Sunday to spend the day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Mitchell, Miss Maureen Mitchell of Pensacola and Bay St. Louis will spend New Year's with friends in New Orleans.

New Year's weekend guests of Elmore Povall will be his mother, Mrs. George Povall, and sister, Miss Gretchen Povall, of Lexington.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Scharff spent Christmas with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Scharff of Baton Rouge, La.

Mrs. Carmelita Saucier left last week to spend Christmas with her daughter and son-in-law, Sergeant and Mrs. Elmer Boyd, in Sunnyvale, Calif., and New Year's with her daughter and son-in-law, Warrant Officer and Mrs. Norman Glass, in Clovis, N. M. She plans to spend some time with relatives in San Antonio, Texas, before returning home.

Mrs. Mary E. Woods of San Francisco, Calif., is spending the holidays with her brother-in-law and sister, Capt. and Mrs. Lewis Wagner.

Mrs. Elaine J. Bailey of Boardman Avenue left Monday to make her home with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Bailey of Redondo Beach, California.

Christmas guests of Mrs. Eugene S. Ling were her sister, Mrs. George Haney of New Orleans; Larry Rice of Clifton, N. J.; Kistner of Wood River, Ill.; and Vince Coffman of Pennsylvania. N. J. Expected guests for New Year's are former Bay St. Louis residents, Mrs. W. R. Crippen and daughters, Beth and Janie, of Pascagoula.

Mr. and Mrs. Betty Reece moved into their

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### Board Rejects...

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Chamber the proposal would be further considered in the new year by the incoming board.  
The board accepted a proposal by Supervisor Johnson Shaw to hire J. Roland Weston, local consultant engineer, to draw abstracts on all 16th Section and lieu lands belonging to Hancock County.  
Clerk A. C. Mitchell explained that by act of the legislature in 1958 all counties are required to present abstracts of this land to the State Land Commissioner for the 1960 legislative session which will convene in January.  
Favre explained that "Lieu lands" are those set aside in lieu of 16th section land. He said that in 1890 the legislature in setting aside 16th sections found many of them to be partially homesteaded. Rather than upset these claims they set aside 30,000 acres in Hancock and Pearl River Counties in lieu of 16th section acres. All counties except Hancock have been authorized to sell their portions of these lands because of non-residence.  
Other business included transfer of about \$4,000 from the Hospital Maintenance Fund to the trustees of Hancock General Hospital; presentation of a bill for \$247.05 from Oubre and Wagner architects for drafting the new medical center and discussion as to procedure for paying an old bill from Mississippi Road Supply in Gulfport for overhaul of a road grader.

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...MINUTES...  
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There came before the Board the matter of accepting or rejecting the charges made against the Homestead applications of the various persons for the years 1956, 1957 and 1958, in accordance with section 20(C) Chapter 261, Laws of 1946, all applicants were notified and it is ORDERED AND ADJUDGED that final disposition be made as follows the following constitutes the acceptance for the following years, 1956, 1957, and 1958.

| Page                   | Line | Name of applicant              |
|------------------------|------|--------------------------------|
| FOR YEAR 1956          |      |                                |
| 93                     | 36   | Battalora, Dr. G. C.           |
| FOR YEAR 1957          |      |                                |
| 98                     | 1    | Battalora, Dr. G. C.           |
| 62                     | 24   | Bryan, Jack G.                 |
| 62                     | 25   | Bryan, Jack G.                 |
| FOR YEAR 1958          |      |                                |
| 103                    | 8    | Battalora, Dr. G. C.           |
| 64                     | 22   | Bryan, Jack G.                 |
| 64                     | 23   | Bryan, Jack G.                 |
| Reduction Or Adj. Amt. |      | Amt. Allowed Increase Approved |
| 5,000                  |      | 5,000                          |
| 5,000                  |      | 5,000                          |
| 750.                   |      | 750.                           |
| 100.                   |      | 100.                           |
| 5,000                  |      | 5,000                          |
| 750.                   |      | 750.                           |
| 100.                   |      | 100.                           |

BE IT ORDERED by the Board that the Board adjourn.  
JACK LOTT  
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